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The first European printers were Germans, all from one or more workshops in the Cathedral City of Mainz where the 1st press appeared about 1445

By 1480 printing shops had been set up in 110 European towns.

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The Golden Horde

Khan's Capital on the Volga
River - SARAI - the descendant
of Batu ruled the Golden Horde,
so named for the color of
the Khan's gear. Russian
princes were allowed to retain
power as long as they paid
tribute and homage at SARAI.
In the 1440's the Golden Horde fragmented

into several khanates including KAZAN,
ASTRAKHAN and CRIMEA.

By 1502 the Golden Horde ceased
to exist.

Batu (1st Khan of Golden Horde)

died 1256

Saajid Ahmed (Last Khan of Golden Horde)

died 1502

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KAZAN

City on Volga River became
capital of great Tatar Khanate
1445.

It was conquered & sacked by
Ivan IV ("The Terrible")
in 1552.

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1912 Dates J-BK

Spain & Portugal

Cape Verde was discovered
by Portugal.

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England
Marriage of Henry IV to
Margaret of Anjou.